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Attorney Docket No. 18461-708

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FOR UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION**

As a below-named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**INTRAVASCULAR STENT**

the specification of which

\_\_\_\_\_ is attached hereto.

X was filed on April 25, 1997 as Application No. 08/845,734

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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Prior Foreign Application(s):

Priority Claimed

(Number)	(Country)	(Day/Month/Year Filed)	Yes	No
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as this is a continuation-in-part application filed under the conditions set forth in 35 United States Code, § 120, which discloses and claims subject matter in addition to the prior pending application(s) listed below, I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the

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United States Patent Office all information known to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

<u>08/845.657</u> (Application Serial No.)	<u>April 25, 1997</u> (Filing Date)	<u>Pending</u> (Patented, Pending, Abandoned)
<u>08/824.142</u> (Application Serial No.)	<u>March 25, 1997</u> (Filing Date)	<u>Pending</u> (Patented, Pending, Abandoned)
<u>08/824.866</u> (Application Serial No.)	<u>March 26, 1997</u> (Filing Date)	<u>Pending</u> (Patented, Pending, Abandoned)
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<u>60/017.484</u> (Application Serial No.)	<u>April 26, 1996</u> (Filing Date)	<u>Pending</u> (Patented, Pending, Abandoned)

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Title 18, United States Code, §1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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I hereby revoke all powers of attorney or authorizations of agent previously given in the above identified application and I hereby appoint the following attorneys to prosecute and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark office connected therewith.

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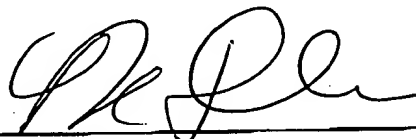
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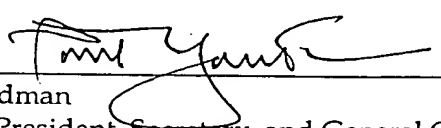
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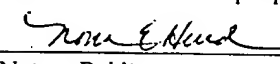
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On this 12<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2001 before me personally appeared Paul W. Sandman to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he duly acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes set forth herein.

  
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**NOTARY PUBLIC**  
My Commission Expires Oct. 4, 2002

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